

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-6 (cancelled).

7. (currently amended) A method of providing unaltered live-action remote-viewing entertainment to attendees while at a live event ~~to teleport the attendees from their respective designated viewing areas into live action areas of the event~~, the method comprising:

providing a plurality of cameras positioned at a plurality of locations within an event for producing a plurality of live-action video signals;

locally transmitting within the event a plurality of live-action wireless communication signals corresponding to the plurality of live-action video signals via a respective plurality of transmitters associated with the plurality of cameras at the event; and

providing to a plurality of attendees at the event a respective plurality of portable display units each containing a multi-channel receiving device and a video display device, the portable display units adapted to be worn or carried by the respective attendees at the event for simultaneously receiving the locally transmitted live-action wireless communication signals directly from the transmitters and for displaying images responsive to a live-action video signal individually selected by each of the respective attendees;

respective attendees individually wearing or carrying the respective portable display units for personal viewing, only while at the event, of selected images corresponding to unaltered live-action views captured by the cameras.

8. (currently amended) The method of claim 7, further comprising:
providing a pair of cameras placed adjacent to each other at each of the plurality of locations within the event to view the event from two different perspectives ~~corresponding to a distance between two eyes of a human observer~~ for producing a corresponding plurality of depth-perceptive video signals;

locally transmitting live-action wireless communications signals corresponding to the plurality of depth-perceptive video signals via the wireless communications system; and

providing the portable display units with two adjacent video display devices ~~separated by the distance between two eyes of a human observer~~ for displaying two different images corresponding to the views of the event from the perspective of the respective cameras for personal viewing by the attendees with true depth perception as would be seen by the attendee from the perspective of the placement of the pair of cameras.

9. (previously presented) The method of claim 7, further comprising offering the portable display units for rent to the attendees for use to enhance views available to the attendees from their respective designated viewing areas to a preferred viewing location during the event.

10. (previously presented) The method of claim 7, further comprising transmitting closed wireless network communications signals corresponding to predetermined content different than the video signals produced by the cameras via the wireless communications system for selected alternative viewing by the attendees while at the event.

11. (previously presented) The method of claim 7, further comprising transmitting wireless communications signals corresponding to advertising content via the wireless communications system for viewing by the attendees while at the event.

12. (previously presented) An apparatus for providing video information comprising:
at least one camera adapted for capturing at least one live-action area of an event and for producing at least one respective live-action video signal responsive to the at least one live-action area of the event;

a transmitter for transmitting at least one live-action wireless communication signal corresponding to the at least one live-action video signal;

a plurality of personally portable display units each containing a multi-channel receiving device and a video display device for receiving the at least one live-action wireless communication signal directly from the transmitter and for displaying unaltered live-action images responsive to the at least one wireless live-action communication signal for personal viewing of the at least one live-action area by attendees while at the event who are carrying and using a respective personally portable display unit.

13. (previously presented) The apparatus of claim 12, wherein each personally portable display unit comprises a headset for supporting the multi-channel receiving device and the video display device.

Claims 14-23 (cancelled).

24. (currently amended) A wireless video apparatus comprising:
a pair of video cameras positioned adjacent each other ~~human-eye distance apart to~~ capture a depth-perceptive view of a scene from two different perspectives corresponding to two eyes of ~~a human-an~~ observer;

a transmitting device connected to each video camera for transmitting a wireless video signal responsive to the view from the perspective of the respective video camera;

a personally portable receiver for receiving the wireless video signals;

a pair of personally portable video display devices connected to the portable receiver and worn or carried by an observer together with the personally portable receiver for cooperatively displaying to two respective eyes of the observer respective images produced from the respective wireless video signals and observable by the observer as a true three dimensional view of the scene ~~with true human-eye depth perception as though~~ viewed by the observer from the perspective of the positioned pair of video cameras.

25. (currently amended) The wireless video apparatus of claim 24, further comprising:

a plurality of pairs of cameras, each pair positioned from two different perspectives corresponding to the ~~distance between two eyes of a human~~ an observer to receive respective depth-perspective views of a plurality of scenes;

a transmitting device connected to each video camera for transmitting a respective wireless video signal responsive to the view from the perspective of the video camera placement;

a personally portable selector transported by the observer with each personally portable receiver for selectively displaying to the two eyes of the observer an unaltered three dimensional view providing true depth perception as though viewed by the observer from the perspective of a selected pair of the cameras.

26. (original) The personal wireless video apparatus of claim 24, further comprising:
a positioning device attached to the pair of cameras for moving the pair of cameras relative to the scene in response to a position signal;

a wireless receiver connected to the positioning device and adapted to provide the position signal in response to a wireless view signal;

a portable wireless transmitter for transmitting the wireless view signal in response to a position input signal;

a portable controller connected to the portable wireless transmitter for producing the position input signal in response to a physical input provided by the observer.

27. (previously presented) A method of providing video information, the method comprising:

providing a plurality of cameras at a plurality of locations for producing a plurality of video signals;

locally transmitting closed-network wireless communication signals corresponding to the plurality of video signals via a wireless communications system; and

providing a personally portable display unit containing a multi-channel receiving device and a video display device, the personally portable display unit adapted for directly and locally receiving the closed-network wireless communication signals and for displaying images responsive to selected ones of the video signals for personal viewing by a person carrying the personally portable display unit.

28. (currently amended) The method of claim 27, further comprising:

providing a pair of cameras at each of the plurality of locations, each camera of a pair positioned from a different perspective corresponding to a distance between two eyes of ~~a human~~ an observer for producing a plurality of depth-perceptive video signals;

transmitting closed wireless network communications signals corresponding to the plurality of depth-perceptive video signals via the wireless communications system; and

providing the personally portable display unit with a pair of video display devices for displaying to the two separate eyes of the person carrying the personally portable display unit respective images observable as a three dimensional view with true depth perception as though viewed from the perspective of the respective pair of cameras for personal viewing by the person carrying the personally portable display unit.

29. (previously presented) A wireless video apparatus comprising:
a video camera adapted to be positioned to capture a view of a scene;
a transmitting device connected to the video camera for transmitting a wireless video signal responsive to the view from the perspective of the video camera;
a personally portable receiver for receiving the wireless video signal directly from the transmitting device; and
a personally portable video display device connected to and carried with the personally portable receiver by an observer for displaying to the observer an image responsive to the wireless video signal and corresponding to a view of the scene from the perspective of the camera.

30. (previously presented) The wireless video apparatus of claim 29, further comprising:
a plurality of cameras adapted to be positioned to receive respective views of a plurality of scenes;
a transmitting device connected to each video camera for transmitting a respective wireless video signal responsive to the view from the perspective of the video camera;
a personally portable selector connected to and carried with the portable receiver for selectively displaying to the observer an image from the perspective of a selected camera.

31. (previously presented) The personal wireless video apparatus of claim 29, further comprising:
a positioning device attached to the camera for moving the camera relative to a fixed position responsive to the scene in response to a position signal;
a wireless receiver connected to the positioning device and adapted to provide the position signal in response to a wireless view signal;
a personally portable wireless transmitter for transmitting the wireless view signal in response to a position input signal;
a personally portable controller connected to and carried with the portable wireless transmitter by the observer for producing the position input signal in response to a physical input provided by the observer.

32. (currently amended) The wireless video apparatus of claim 29, further comprising:

the video camera comprising a pair of video cameras ~~spaced apart by a distance of a pair of human eyes and~~ disposed to capture respective different views of the same scene from two different perspectives corresponding to two eyes of the observer;

the personally portable video display device comprising a pair of video display devices ~~spaced apart by the distance of the pair of human eyes and~~ adapted for displaying to the two eyes of the observer respective images of the scene from the perspective of the pair of spaced apart video cameras to provide the observer with true depth perception of the scene.

33. (previously presented) The method of claim 7, further comprising:
transmitting wireless communications signals corresponding to predetermined content different than the video signals via the wireless communications system for selected viewing by the attendees; and

offering the portable display units for rent to attendees for use during the event at a price responsive to the selected content.